

TOXIC CHEMICALS EXPOSURE

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Superfund, Toxics and Environmental Health concluded a hearing to examine current science on public exposures to toxic chemicals, including the extent to which the Environmental Protection Agency incorporates information from bio-monitoring studies into its assessments of chemicals, after receiving testimony from Steve Owens, Assistant Administrator, Office of Prevention, Pesticides and Toxic Substances, Environmental Protection Agency; Henry Falk, Acting Director, National Center for Environmental Health, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry, and Linda Birnbaum, Director, National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences, National Institutes of Health, and Director, National Toxicology Program, both of the Department of Health and Human Services; John Stephenson, Director, Natural Resources and Environment, Government Accountability Office; Kenneth A. Cook, Environmental Working Group, Washington, D.C.; Charles McKay, Hartford Hospital Department of Traumatology and Emergency Medicine, Hartford, Connecticut; Tracey J. Woodruff, University of California Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology, and Reproductive Sciences, San Francisco; and Molly Jones Gray, Seattle, Washington.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee ordered favorably reported General Services Administration (GSA) resolutions.

BUDGET

Committee on Finance: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2011, after receiving testimony from Peter Orszag, Director, Office of Management and Budget.

HAITI RECONSTRUCTION

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on International Development and Foreign Assistance, Economic Affairs and International Environmental Protection concluded a hearing to examine Haiti reconstruction, focusing on smart planning moving forward, after receiving testimony from Robert Maguire, Trinity Washington University, and Mark L. Schneider, International Crisis Group, both of Washington, D.C.; and Charles MacCormack, Save the Children, Westport, Connecticut.

FOREIGN CORRUPTION

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations concluded a hearing to examine keeping foreign cor-

ruption out of the United States, focusing on four case histories, after receiving testimony from David T. Johnson, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affairs, Department of State; Janice Ayala, Assistant Director, Office of Investigations, United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement, Department of Homeland Security; James H. Freis, Jr., Director, Financial Crimes Enforcement Network, Department of the Treasury; Jeffery C. Birrell, The Grace Group, McLean, Virginia; William J. Fox, Bank of America, Charlotte, North Carolina; Brenda K. Cobb, Insured Aircraft Title Service, Inc., Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; Wiecher Mandemaker, HSBC Bank USA, N.A., Washington, D.C.; Michael Jay Berger, and George I. Nagler, both of Beverly Hills, California; and Neal Baddin, West Hollywood, California.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Craig Becker, of Illinois, to be a Member of the National Labor Relations Board, Cynthia L. Attwood, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission, Irvin M. Mayfield, Jr., of Louisiana, to be a Member of the National Council on the Arts, and Kathleen S. Tighe, of Virginia, to be Inspector General, Department of Education,

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Edward Milton Chen, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of California, Louis B. Butler, Jr., to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Wisconsin, and Christopher H. Schroeder, of North Carolina, and Mary L. Smith, of Illinois, both to be an Assistant Attorney General, both of the Department of Justice.

COMCAST/UNIVERSAL MERGER

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust, Competition Policy and Consumer Rights to examine the Comcast/NBC Universal Merger, focusing on the future of competition and consumers, after receiving testimony from Brian L. Roberts, Comcast Corporation, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Jeff Zucker, NBC Universal, New York, New York; Colleen Abdoulah, WOW!, Denver, Colorado; and Mark Cooper, Consumer Federation of America, and Andrew Schwartzman, Media Access Project, both of Washington, D.C.